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TO USMISSION IAEA VIENNA PRIORITY

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TAGS: IAEA TECH AORG

SUBJ: IAEA NUCLEAR POWER PROJECT TRAINING COURSE

REF: IAEA VIENNA 0451

1. MISSION REQUESTED INFORM AGENCY OF FOLLOWING U.S. REACTION  
TO REVISED PROGRAM OUTLINED REFTEL:

(A) FROM PEDAGOGICAL VIEWPOINT, COMPRESSING PHASES 2 AND  
3 INFO ONE FIFTEEN WEEK SEGMENT WILL SERIOUSLY CURTAIL  
EFFECTIVENESS OF TRAINING NEEDED. COMPRESSION OF FULL COURSE  
FROM 9 MONTHS AS INTENDED INTO SIX MONTH COURSE COULD ONLY  
BE DONE WITH IMPAIRMENT TO COVERAGE AND DEPTH OF TOTAL  
COURSE. WE ENCOURAGE AGENCY TO RETAIN THE FULL PROGRAM  
IF POSSIBLE AND WOULD ONLY AGREE TO REDUCTION RELUCTANTLY IF  
IT NECESSARY.

(B) FROM FINANCIAL VIEWPOINT, LOWERING NUMBER OF STUDENTS  
IN EACH COURSE WILL SHARPLY INCREASE THE PER STUDENT COST  
AS WILL SCHEDULING ONLY TWO COURSE PER YEAR. THERE WILL BE  
ONGOING OVERHEAD AND STAFF SALARIES (AFTER DEVELOPMENTAL  
WORK COMPLETED) WITH ONLY 30 WEEKS PER YEAR DEDICATED TO  
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ACTUAL INSTRUCTION. THE FINANCIAL PROBLEM COULD BE

SOMEWHAT ALLEVIATED IF ADDITIONAL NON-IAEA SPONSORED PARTICIPANTS  
WERE PERMITTED IN EACH COURSE, WITH AN APPROPRIATE FEE TO  
BE CHARGED. ALSO, ERDA WOULD BE INTERESTED IN THE POSSIBILITY  
OF CONDUCTING AN ADDITIONAL COURSE EACH YEAR IF THERE WERE  
SUFFICIENT APPLICANTS. IAEA FUNDED PARTIDIPANTS WOULD OF  
COURSE BE GIVEN PREFERENCE FOR POSITIONS IN THIS EXTRA COURSE  
AND NO MORE THAN 50 WOULD BE ENROLLED IN ANY GIVEN CLASS. FOR ANY  
NON-AGENCY SPONSORED STUDENTS IN SUCH AN EXTRA COURSE,  
THE AGENCY WOULD NOT BE EXPECTED MAKE ANY CONTRIBUTION TO  
STUDENTS'S EXPENSES.

2. U.S. RECOGNIZES AGENCY MAY NOT BE PREPARED MODIFY ITS  
PROPOSED PROGRAM AT THIS TIME, TAKING INTO ACCOUNT ABOVE U.S.  
VIEWS, AND IS PREPARED ACCEPT PROPOSAL AS OUTLINED REFTEL. THIS  
POSITION CLEARED BY AMBASSADOR TAPE, LIVERMAN AND BECK.  
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